

# CRETE - VELANI COUNTRY HOTEL - SUN AND RIDING

## ITINERARY

Flights can arrive and depart at any time.

Transfers can be arranged from Heraklion airport, a journey of about 40 minutes (payable locally).

Alternatively you may prefer to hire a car and self-drive to the hotel. We recommend this option for guests on a sunny rides programme. The hotel is located on an unpaved rural road; every car can reach the hotel but the hotel does advise a car suitable for an unpaved road.

It may be possible to share the transfer with guests arriving at a similar time but we are not likely to know that until near the date of your holiday.

Room check-in is from 14:00 on the first day and check-out is by 12:00. Guests arriving or departing outside these times are welcome to use the public areas.

Your room will be available from 14:00. Guests arriving earlier can make use of the public areas until their room is ready. There is normally no riding on your arrival or departure day, unless this has been pre-arranged and pre-paid.



Your guides will meet you over dinner and discuss your booked riding itinerary with you. If you arrive very late in the evening, you will meet your guides at breakfast.

Each person's riding itinerary may be different and there may be other guests staying who are on a different riding programme from you.



On your departure day you will need to vacate your room by 12:00 but may depart later in the day.

There are twelve spacious, ensuite rooms each with either a private garden or verandah. Each room has a hairdryer, a television, a fridge and air con. The hotel has a personal, family run atmosphere.



There is large infinity pool as well as a separately located children's pool. Situated on a hillside overlooking Aposelemis Lake, near the village of Avdou, Odysseia Stables and Veláni Country Hotel is an ideal place from which to explore the island. This rural area, dotted with olive trees, Kermes oak forest and small villages, gives plenty of space for endless riding, and comfort for relaxing.

